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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	)	
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Serial No.: 09/976,851	)	Art Unit: 1711
	)	
Filed: October 12, 2001	)	Account No.: 04-1403
	)	
Title: Self Heat-Sealable Packaging	)	
and Method for Making Same	)	Confirm. No.: 1701

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 4, 2003, please amend the above-captioned applications as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on p. 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on pg. 5 of this paper.

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